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For: MOMENT-RESISTANT BUILDING FRAME STRUCTURE COMPONENTRY AND METHOD

Enclosed are also:

X (5) sheet(s) (photocopies) of drawings.

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